

At

DM-665

DEPUTIES' MEETING

Monday, 20 October 1958

PRESENT: Mr. Dulles, Mr. Amory, Col. White, [redacted]

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[redacted] Kirkpatrick, Sheldon, [redacted]

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Mr. Dulles:

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b) Noted he had seen [redacted] who have just 25X1 recently returned PCS [redacted] and apparently had been experiencing some difficulties in locating a place to live and arranging for schooling for their children. The Director said while he realized the Agency cannot be expected to insure homes and schooling for children of its employees returning to Washington for assignment, he felt everything should be done to lend assistance and suggested the possibility of the formation of a group of wives of senior officials together with the more senior female employees of the Agency so that wives and mothers could go to them with their problems. Upon being advised that the Employees Services Division usually has a list of housing available, directed that, where appropriate, personnel returning PCS to Washington be advised in advance and that on arrival in Washington arrangements be made for conferences with the administrative officers of the Division concerned in order that they might assist in getting these people settled.

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d) Noted a State cable [redacted] dated 16 October reporting the Ambassador had found among new ministers a repeated request for moral support and asked [redacted] to see if this Agency could assist.

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f) Referred to a memorandum prepared by OCI indicating the possibility of secret negotiations being carried on between the Chinats and Chicoms and asked if we had any concrete evidence to substantiate this. He was advised by Messrs. Sheldon and [redacted] that we did not, however, there are sufficient rumors to this effect and just plain intuition to cause us to examine this possibility more carefully. The Director made it clear that he wanted every effort made to obtain any and all information on this subject and asked OCI to prepare a memorandum somewhat along the lines contained in the above-referred to piece in order that he can bring it to the attention of the Members of USIB.

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g) Noted that he wanted to discuss the following subjects at the OCB meeting on 22 October: [redacted]
[redacted] undertook to notify [redacted]

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